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#### GERMANY AND RUSSIA. ARMISTICE REFUSED.

A RUSSIAN CALL TO ARMS.

LONDON, Feb. 27.

A Russian official message, by wire- man Chancellor's speech :less, states:--

The German "Government has formally refused an armistice because it desires not peace but the strungling of the Revolutions. Obstinate and pitiless resistance to the German hordes is thus the principal task of the Revolution. Our greatest strength is our wide territories. occupation of Reval and Pskoff and even Petrograd, which is still very distant, will in no wise decide the destiny of the Revolution. Should the threat on Petrograd increase, the Soviet Government will retire Moscow or elsewhere in Russia, but our chief and present task is to the roads to Petrograd by every obstacle. We will prove to the Germans that they must disperse throughout Russia before they can crush the authority of the Soviets. They will never have the forces for people without rights. this. The more deeply they peneon a revolution in Germany.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 27. The Bolsheviks announce that the Revolutionary population of classes is mobilizing for a vigorous defence of the Capital. Long queues are lined up at the arsenals awaiting arms and ammunition.

TURKS ENTER TREBIZOND.

Loxpon, Feb. 26.

tolegram from Constantinople states that the Turks have entered Trebizond

## THE WESTERN FRONT.

LONDON, Feb. 26. Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, reporting on aviation, states:-

Our night fliers dropped over 1,200 bombs chiefly on aerodromes at Ghent and also on an acrodrome at Courtrai We bombed billets at Dousi and dropped 350 bombs on billets at St.

All our machines returned. LONDON, Feb. 26.

A French communiqué states :-There was marked receiprocal artillery activity to the north of Chemins-de Dames; on both banks of the Meuso especially at Hill 304, at Morthomme Beaumont and Chambrettes.

AMERICANS ENGAGED.

IN A FIGHT OF THEIR OWN SEEKING.

LONDON, Feb. 28.

Reuter's Correspondent at the French Headquarters states that actually appointed. He emphasised American troops were engaged for the necessity of up-to-date informathe first time in a fight of tion regarding the selling of goods. their own seeking in a coup-de- also of careful analysis and record main carried out by s mixed from different foreign countries of the French and American detachment whole of the methods of banking, in Allette Valley near Cheve finance, transport and other great regny on the 23rd inst. The party factors in the commercial system. numbered a hundred. There was a British Consule in future would be call for volunteers and practically expected to deal adequately with the every American on the Chemin-des- trade of their districts, while it would Dumes sector responded. Twenty- be the duty of tommercial attaches six of them were selected. The mid to keep the Government informed of was entirely successful. It lasted the general financial development twenty-five minutes and yielded 25 and the whole economic state of the prisoners and a muchine gun

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GERMAN CHANCELLOR'S

SPEECH.

LONDON, Feb. 26. The following is an amplification of the earlier summary of the Ger-

The Chancellor declared that Germany undertook the present operations in Russia in the name of humanity, confident that a Russo-German peace would soon be concluded. History had never more strikingly confirmed the Aristotelian dictum that "wa must resolve on war for the sake of peace." He described Germany's role, at Bukharest as not only to protect her own interests but to see a compromise arranged as regards the diver-

gent claims of her Allies. Count Hertling, referring to President Wilson's second principle, said one ought to think President Wilson was labouring under the illusion that autagonism existed in Germany between an autocratic government and the mass of the

Count Hertling accused England trate the more surely they will bring of inventing the game of balance of power ' in order to oppose any European State which threatened to become too powerful. This would possibly arouse difficulties, but allround goodwill would overcome them.

> He accused England of having policy of annexations. Her colonial war aims were directed to increasing and rounding off her zenormous possessions, especially in Africa. He denied having ever harboured the thought of infringing Swiss

### AN APPEAL TO SHIPYARDS.

LONDON, Feb. 26. In the House of Commons, Mr. Barnes appealed to the men in the shippards to put their backs into the work. He said that last month less than half the estimated number of ships were turned out. This month and Tournai used by enemy night fliers the position, apparently, had not improved. The matter was very serious, because as regards shipbuilding, America was failing us. We must turn out a much larger number of ships if we are to get through the trouble in the next few months.

## OUR OVERSEAS TRADE.

DUTIES OF TRADE COMMISSIONERS AND CONSULS.

LOYDON, Feb. 26. Introducing in the House of Commons the estimates for the Department of Oversecs Trade, Mr. Steel Maibland stated that out of sixteen Imperial Trade Commissioners, thirteen had been sanctioned and nine f country in which they are stationed

## TROUBLE IN IRELAND

LONDON, Feb. 26. from February 1st to the 22nd the The Press Bureau announces that an Royal Flying Corps brought down 75 outbreak of lawlessness in County

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THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Hotel on FRIDAY, the 1st March, 1918, at 12.13 P.M. for the purpose of receiving Statement of Accounts to S1st December, 1917, with the Report of the Directors and to discuss any matter that may be competently brought before the Meeting.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 23nd February to 1st March 1918 both days February to 1st March, 1918, both days

inclusive. By Order of the Board, J. H. TAGGART,

Hongkong, Feb. 18, 1918.

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NIOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Valley. an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Kowloon Lind and BUILDING COMPANY. LIMITED will be bold at the Registered Office of the Company, Victoria Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 8th day of March, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forencon when the subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 20th day of February, 1918, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution. Resolution :-

"That the Articles of Association be the above. altered in manner following :-(a) That the word "two" be substituted for the word "three" in the definition

of "The Board" in Article 2. (b) That the word "two" be substituted for the word "three" in Article 72. (c) That the word "one" be substituted for the word "two" in lines one and two of Article 76 and that the word "other" shall be substituted for the word "others" and the word "his" for the word "their" in line two of

bers" in line three of Article 76.

(e) That the word "Director" be substituted for the word "Directors" in line four of Article 79.

(/) That the word "signature" be sub-stituted for the word "signatures" in lines 1, 2 and 4 of Article 89 and that the word "one" be substituted for the word "two" and the word "Directors" for the word "Directors" in line one of Article 89."

(g) "That the words "hand of one of the Directors" be substituted for the words "hands of two of Directors" in line 2 of Article 10." Dated the 20th day of February, 1918. By Order of the Board,

A SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY Co., LD. General! Agents for the Company.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

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N. J. STAEB, Chief Manager.

Horgkong, Feb. 23, 1918.

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(d) That the word "Director" be sub-stituted for the word "Directors" in Article 77.

Article 77.

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they die of despair. When the officer entered the gloomy goods." portals he encountered one who bade in this fairy story is that it came true him fill up a form, and his heart sank. and was true, and is really happening in devised. But when he had done so, filling in the London every day. The real name of name of the Top Dog, to his great surprise the janitor bade him pass straight System. He has only been at the War up. He ascended a noble flight of stairs, at the head of which a polite messenger received him, and saying "Come this General of Supply." It is a new office way," led him along a corridor that seemed to extend to infinity; but again, to his surprise, after a few steps the messenger opened a big door and presented him to a pleasant young official who, without delay, led him into an inner room where there sat at a big desk a large, placid-faced man surrounded by piles of filed documents in extraordinarily nest array. Once more he was surprised when the large man proved to be the Very Top Dog whom he

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The officer noted that one of the been known as one of the master minds Here is a new fairy story that is being benign countenance was a broad, level a great shipowner; and then went on to brow, beneath which were a pair of London and became a super shipowner. keen eyes wide apart, and that the He knows all there is to be known about lower part of his face was of a strength and firmness which even his easy, good, cause he wanted to know and had the humoured, full lipped smile did not capacity of learning. He is a master of entirely camouflage. When he had system. ascertained the officer's requirements . he consulted his files of documents and, knew that. Mr. Weir went to the War turning over the pages with a competent turning over the pages with extraordin- staff of voluntary helpers, to have a ary calcrity, ran his fingeralong lines and look round. He spent wix weeks in columns of figures referring to each of finding out how things were done or the commodities concerned. He had not done, and why, and at the end of the six weeks he sat down and draw up a scheme of reorganisation which was store, the quantities siready under accepted and committed to his direction. requisition, the quantities in course of at the War Office works any harder than production. In two minutes he restored before-they all worked to the utimost his documents to their former neat before he arrived—but they work under. array and told the astonished officer a better system, and therefore work that he could have all that he had saked better. He knows exactly what they for at the dates he had mentioned. are all doing, and they know he knows.

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(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED), SATURDAY, the 2nd March, 1918, at 10.30 s.m.,

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Hongkong, Feb. 27, 1918.

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Carpets, Brass Tenders, a few lot Fire Brasses, &c. Two PIANOS.

One Small BILLARD TABLE with

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A LARGE NUMBER OF WELL-KNOWN RACE PONIES. (Full Particulars from Catalogue). TERMS :- Cash.

HUGHES & HOUGH Auctionogra. 185 Order of St. John of Jerusalem Hongkong, Feb. 27, 1918.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

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WEDNESDAY, the 6th March, 1918, at 11 a.m. at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voeux Road, Corner of Ice House Street,

AN ASSORTMENT OF SILVER WARE, ELECTRO-PLATE CLOISONNE, IVORY AND SATSUMA ARTICLES,

Consisting of :-SILVER WARE :- Flower Bowls, Vases Bonbon Dishes, Dessert Knives Fish Servers, etc., etc. ELECTRO PLATED GOUDS :- Tea

Kettle, Ice Pail, Cheese Dish, Punch Bowl, Coffee Pot, etc., etc. CLOISONNE, SATSUMA, IVORY, &c:-Carvings, Card Cases, Sweet Stands, Cigar Holder, etc., etc.,

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PUBLIC AUGTION.

structions to sell by Public Auction SATURDAY,

the 9th March, 1918, at 10.30 a.m., at The Kowloon Railway Station, AN ASSORTMENT OF STORES, As follows:-

Lamp Glasses, Filters, Carpenters. Tapes, (various lengths), Iron Bolts and Shutter Fastenings, Gauge Glasses, Sockets, Brass Cocks, Valves. &c., &c., Asbestos, India Rubber and Packings, a quantity of Plumbago, Cera-Wax, Prussian Elus Pumice Stone, &c., &c., Electric Fittings and Sundries.

(Full Particulars from Catalogue). On view Eriday, 8th March. Catalogues also obtained from the Station Master Kowloon.

TERMS :- Cash. HUGHES & HOUGH Auctioncers Hongkong, Feb. 23, 1918.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the Liquidators the Firm of Messrs. FUNCHARD LOWYHER & Co., to sell by Public

MONDAY the 25th March, 1918, commencing at at 11 a.m., at Ma-tqu-kok,

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Two 15-ft. Invincible vertical double crank compound set conflensing twin series direct acting centrifugal pumping engines (one left hand and one right hand) steam cylinders 9jin. by 2lin. by 12in stroke with the necessary fittings and auction and delivery pipes for a lift

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Two Taylor's patent I yard Concrete Mixers with Steel Framing and fittings, various and spare genty. One Sin. Double Cylinder Manchester Pump by Penrus 7in. and 12in cylinders,

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with suction and delivery pipes about

A quantity of Stelel Wire Rope, Old Motal. &c. On view from 101 March.

Terms :- Cash. HUGHER & HOUGH, HONGKONG "OUR DAY EFFORT.

LANSDOWNE'S WARM THANKS.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary sends us for publication the following copy of a letter addressed by His Excellency the Governor to Lord Lanadowne regarding the celebration of "Our Day!" in Hongkong, and copy of a letter in reply from the Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Joint War Committee of the British Red Cross Society and the

England. Government House, Hongkong, 7th November, 1917. My LORD MARQUESS, -With refer-THE Undersigned have received in ence to Sir Robert Hudson's letter Our Day " in Hongkong led to a net sum of £16,100 being realised which has been remitted to the Joint Finance Committee of the British Red Cross Society and the Order of St. John of Jerusalem. The gross. receipts were \$114,206 and

of \$100,415. From the 5th to the 12th October, the leading members of the Chinese Community organised a series theatrical performances which duced a sum of \$21,207 and through out the celebration the Chinese Comassistance in raising money.

In the absence of Lady May from the Colony two ladies, Mrs. Stedman and Mrs. Hay, organised the Rose Fund which boars Lady May's name with the result that the large sum of

\$31,987 was collected?

Two-fifths of the proceeds of drawing of War Bonds yielded a sumof \$32,000. At a fête on the afternoon of "Our His / Majesty's gracious orphans. message which I had received in the morning was prominently displayed.

The gate money at this fête amounted to \$3,245, while a motor car pre 170 sented by a Portuguese firm realised a sum of \$5,000, and the contents of shop generously presented by the Portuguese Community brought in further sum of \$4,500. In the evening at the Botanical THE Undersigned have received in- Gardens a very successful entertain-

ment was held at which new kinemutograph films of scenes in the war Ahe following evening resulting in a total sum of \$13,333 being collected I enclose extract from the Hong-

kong Daily Press newspaper of the with a view to that body receiving a 19th October relating to the celebra- grant from King George's Fund for the of thanks and congratulated Capt. Clarks tions, and would draw special atten-Tools, 4 Sets of Mule Harness, Metallic tion to be ambulance competition. The Hongkong Branch of the St. John Ambulance Bridge continues in a state of high efficiency under Mr E. Ralphs, the District Super-

War Charities Committee under the Chairmanship of the Honourable Mr. E. H. Sharp, K.C., was responsible for all the arrangements in connection with "Our Day." The Honorary Secretary was Mr. L. N. Leefe, who worked most energetically to make the celebration a success, while the responsible post of Honorary Treasurer was again this year held by Mr 171 H. C. Sandford, to whom great credit is due for the manner in which he performed his heavy task .- I have

(Sd.) F. H. MAY, Governor, etc. e Most Honourable

Marquess of Lansdowne, K.G., President of the British Red Cros Society, 83; Pall Mall,

London, S.W.1. 83, Pall Mail,

London, S.W.1., 1st January, 1918. Sin,-I am desired by Lord Lansdowns to acknowledge with warm thanks your letter of November 7th, informing us of the splendid results achieved by the executive Committee of the War Charities Committee in connection with the appeal for "Our in Hongkong. The result reflects immense credit upon all concerned, and Lord Lansdowne begs Two Cates Rock and Ore Breakers that you will be so good as to convey the grateful thanks of the Joint Societies to the Chairman of the Sharp, K.C., the Hon. Secretary Mr. One 20 in. by 10 in. Blake Crusher L. N. Leefe, and the Hon. Treasurer Mr. N. C. Sandford. We are well aware that it is to these gentlemen and to their Committee that so thorough an organisation was set up for bringing the needs of the Joint

> Societies to the notice of the people We have further to ask if you will also convey our thanks to Mrs. Stedman and Mrs. Hay for the manner which they organised the Rose Fund, which, in turn, was so success-

We have read with great interest extracts from the Hongkony Daily Press, and are much struck by the thoroughness, and efficiency of the organisation which the accounts dis-

Excellency will receive our rety ein-

KING GEORGES FUND FOR SAILORS.

FIRST DISTRIBUTION OF \$55,000

A meeting of the General Council of King George's Fund for Sailors took place at Trinity House, on Wednesday, December 19th.

Capt. A. W. Clarke, the Deputy Chairman, presided in the absence of H.R. the Duke of Connaught, the Chairman of Sailors' Orphan Society of Scot-A letter was read from H.R.H. the Seamen's Hospital Society 

meeting and expressing his approval of the grants to the Marine Benevolent Shipwrecked Fishermen's and Institutions which the Distribution Committee were recommending to the General Stanley Sailors' Hospital, Holy-Council for their sanction. Capt. I larke stated that the fund had Sunderland Orphan Asylum

now reached a total of £283,000. This showed the generous menner in which Vegetable Products Committee the King's Fund had been supported by for Royal Naval Supply (War the country at large, and he hoped that, it only constituted a tithe of the money that would be forthcoming to enable the fund to carry out the work for which it

had been called into existence. In reference to the first distribution structions to sell by Public Auction of the 21st June, I have the honour of the fund, Capt. Clarke said he wished to inform you that the celebration of to make it clear that the allocation now Lancashire and National Sea being made by King George's Fund to meet the urgent needs of the Marine Marine Society Training Ship Benevolent Institutions was not to be taken as establishing the claims of the Stork Training Ship .... participating charities upon any subsequent distributions. : Conversely, societies which were not now receiving grants should not assume that they would not receive consideration and expenditure \$3,791 leaving a balance support in the future. Due notice would be given in the Press and opportunities would be afforded to apply for grants at Liverpool Seamen's. Friend future distributions.

The main reason which had led the Conneil to make this large early distribution was due to the exceptional circumstances arising out of the war, and to the principle of immediate benefit to seamen... which was and would munity generally gave most valuable remain, one of the main features of the policy of the King's Fund.

A letter of thanks had been sent to the General Council of King Edward's Seamen's Friendly Society of Hospital Fund, for the kind welcome they had given to King George's Fund for Sailors and for their generous offer of advice and assistance, which would be most welcome to the fund

The thanks of the Council were due to Lord Burnham and the Daily Telegraph for the appeal made in the widely read columns of that paper, which had helped the Conneil in making this Christmas donation to the sailors, their widows and

Sir Acton Blake. Chairman of the Distribution Committee, said he felt sure the general public would appreciate the fact that the best possible use was being made of the money so generously subscribed for the benufit of the sailors of all ranks, their widows and orphans. Special consideration had been given to work in connection with the war, as

the needs of the moment. Distribution Committee had become ly with the Royal Navy, would enable were shown. This was repeated on aware that individual cases; of distress them to come to the immediate assistance had arisen amongst naval men, their of those men of the Fleet who from windows and dependents. They, there- wounds or sickness required relief, and fore, had approached Admiral Balsey, also to the aid of their widows and President of the Grand Fleet Fund, orphans express purpose of enabling men of the on having secured the services of such Royal Navy, their widows or depend- able and distinguished men as those who ents being relieved in cases of immediate | formed the Council of King George's distress arising from disablement or Fund and its various Committees. He death. He could not emphasize too said that he knew the value King strongly the urgent need there was for George's Fund would be to the Marine this work of special temporary relief. Benevolent Institutions, as he had been | CHINKIANG: Mesers Gesting a and the Grand Fleet Fund seemed to afforded an opportunity of looking into provide an adequate means for the the work that had been done since the An executive Committee of the administration of a grant. He, therefore, proposed that the General Council should allocate the sum of £5,000 to the

> Grand Fleet Rund. ... This proposal was carried unanimous-The .. General Council - unanimously King Edward's Hospital Fund. . He could approved of the distribution; of .255,000

Institutions :-

ged Merchant Seamen's and Widows Fund Liverpool ... £ 450 Andrew Gibson Memorial Home. British Seameo's Orphan Boys' Home, Brixham, South Devon Destitute Sailors Fund, Sailors' Glasgow Aged Senmen's Relief Grand Fleet Fund War Fund for the immediate relief of Royal Naval mentingeach; and every one of His Majesty's shipsand Naval establishmenta

Hull Seamen and General Orphanage and Schools ... Imperial Merchant Service Guild War Fund, Liverpool . ... Ladies Emergency Committee of Navy League for Royal Naval Prisoners of War. Liverpool Homes for Aged Liverpool Seamen's Pension Fund Liverpool Beamen's Orphan Institution ...

Lloyd's Patriotic Fund-War Charity Mercantile Scamen's Help Society-War, Fund for Interned Men of the Merchant Service 22. Mine Sweepers' Fund-War Fund for Helief of Men Berving in Mine Sweepers .... Royal Alfred Institution-Pen-Seamen, London Royal Cornwall Sailors Home and Hospital Royal Hamadryad Hospital for Seamen, fardiff Royal Merchant Seamen's Orphanage London Royal Naval and Marine phange Home, Portsmouth ... Reyal Naval Depot Benevolent Fund. Chatham Royal Naval and Marine Orphan Home, The Nore, Chatham ..

cere thanks for the interest which you yourself have so generously taken in promoting the success of the appeal -I have etc. (84.) ROBT. A. HUDSON

Royal . Sailors' Orphan Girls

chool, Hampstead .....

Committee. His Excellency Bir P. H. May, K.C.M.G. Hongkong.

Chairman of the Finance

Royal School for Navy and Marine Officers Daughters, Royal United Service Orphan

Home Devenport ... ... Royal Marine Light Infantry. Benevolen: Fund (Portsmouth Division) ... ... Sailora Club Puncrana Ireland hailors' and hiremen's Benevol-

Sailors' Orphan Cottage Home (Port of Hull Society) . (Dreadnownt) .... · Society (Samaritan Fund)' ...

Mariners Society ... ..: Type Mariners Institution

War Fund (Mercantile Marine Service Association), Liverpool, for Dependents of Interned Merchant Seamen Arethma Training Ship Indefatigable Training Ship

Watts Naval Training School (Dr. Barnardo)... Cardiff Sailors' and Sailors' Rest East Coast Mission (Port of Hull Society) ... ... ... Glasgow Seamen's, Friend Society

for Widows' Pension Fund .... Missions to Seamen ... Hoyal National Mission to Deep Sea Fishermen ... ... Royal Sailors' Home. Portsmouth, for Samaritan Fund ...

Scottish Coast: Mission .... Seamen's Christian Friend St. Paul Seamen's Mission... St. Andrew's Waterside Mission Royal National Lifeboat Institu-

tion for Special War Work ...

Admiral Inglefield, in proposing a vote thanks to the Deputy Chairman. Capt. A W. Clarks, said that he wished to congratulate him on the admirable progress the fund had made in so short time. Speaking on behalf of the Royal Navy, he (Admiral Inglefield was certain that the establishment of King George's Fund for Sailors would prove of immense value to the personnel of the Senior Service. He knew that a great deal of hardship was bound to the circumstances at the present time occur, owing to the strain and stress of the present war, but as a member of the demanded a large sum of money being Distribution Committee he knew perplaced at the disposal of those institusonally that the fund, in granting tions which were endeavouring to meet. prompt and aubstantial aid to many In dealing with special work, the institutions and funds which deal special

Lord Somerleyton seconded the vote inauguration of the Fund in July of this year. He could also testify to the amount of useful work that had already been accomplished. The Deputy Chairman had alluded to the speech of the Speaker at the Distribution Meeting of assure the Council that the words used to the following Marine Benevolent by the speaker in reference to King George's Fund met with the full sympathy and approval of the Conneil of

The vote was unanimously accorded.

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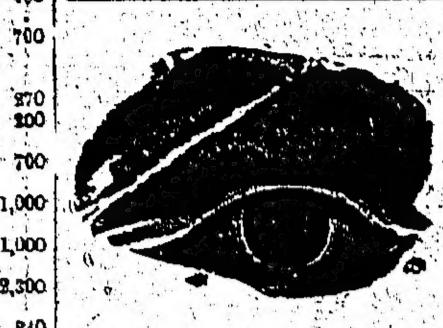
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RUNCIMAN recently in the House of

regards Belgium. It must have

cost the Chancellor something to

repudiation of the policy proclaimed

in the Bissing testament and the

we desire to live in peace and friend-

ship after the war becoming the

what this phrase imports the world

will be the better uble to appreciate

its value. Before the war inter-

national treaties to which the various

Powers solemnly pledged Itheir

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Chancellor of the day unblushingly

declared that Germany regarded

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## To-day's Advertisements

BOYAL HONGKONG GOLF CLUB.

THROUGH the Courtesy of the Stewards of the Jocksy Club, Members can claim their Golf Clubs, TO-MORROW (FRIDAY) afternoon in the Jockey Club Booms on the Race Course kindly lent for the purpose.

The Bags and Clubs will be transferred during the morning and will be ready for Members after 2 P.M. JOHN BENTLEY.

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, Feb. 28, 1918.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING CO., LTD.

THE THIRTY FOURTH OBDIN-ARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at St. George's Buildings, Chater Road, Victoria, on SATURDAY, the 9th March, 1918, at 11.30 o'clock in the forencen, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Genera. December, 1917, and electing a Consult ing Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the

will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, the 5th March, 1918, until -SATURDAY, the 9th March, 1918, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers. " Hongkong, Feb. 28, 1918.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruct approach we have yet had to tions to sell by Public Auction, (FOR ADCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED),

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### THE CALENDAR.

MEMO. FOR TO-DAY. 9.15.—Harmston's Circus opens Causeway Bay.

MEMO. FOR TO-MORROW. 2.12.15 p.m.—Hongkong Hotel Co.'s half-yearly meeting of shareholders. paper,"

GENERAL MEMORANDA.

Tornory, March 5:-2.30 p.m. Auction of Teakwood and Blackwood Ferniture &c. at Mesers. Rughes & Hough's

FRIDAY, March 8 :-11 a.m.-Extraordinary General Meet ing of the Kowloon Land & Building Co. Ltd.

FRIDAY, March 29:-Good Friday. SUNDAY, March 31:-Easter Bunday.

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tions of "a noble Germanian," now abandoned? We want better assurances of that than are yet forthcoming from Germany. It is, of course, grisvously disappointing to the Chancellor to know that the renemies of Germany, who embraca two-thirds of the whole world, do not recognise that Germany's is "the voice of reason and humanity"; but the Chancellor may be sure that they never will until it is in cousonance with the war sims of the Allies which are intended to secure that the world shall not be made again to suffer the horrors of such a devestating war as Germany in 1914 forced upon it in delence of its freedom and liberty.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The results of the Preliminary Oxford Local Examination, held Hongkong last September, have just Headmistress) have passed.

on the latest bid for peace on Racecourse, which have appeared in the States Army, Mr. Loughlin, manager these articles were picked up and lai China Mait, will be republished in our Weekly Edition-the Overland China Mail-which will be issued, as usual Commons to the effect that "the on Saturday morning. Orders may be greatest contribution to peace would booked in advance at the China Mai be an opportunity for representatives Office.

of belligerent opinion to exchange In the Summary Court this moruviews," the Chancellor, speaking in ing an action to recover \$1,000 as the Reichstag, declared if that remark damages for wroughful dismissal was Managers for the year ending 31st meant that peace would be brought brought by W. Buck against the nearer if belligerent representatives Robinson Piano Co. The case, which met in conclave to disgues individual is defended, was part heard and questions he agreed, especially as adjourned.

Under the arresting title of "Canada, the War, and the World's declars in the Reichstag that Ger- goodwill," an address, to which the many does not contemplate retaining public are invited, will be given at the Belgium. If the Chancellor's word Helena May Institute, to-morrow, Frimay be trusted, this is the nearest day, afternoon, at 5.30, by Dr. J. A. Macdonald LLD. The public should not miss this opportunity of hearing so trenchant and gifted a speaker.

public speeches of Admiral Trapitz. The meeting of American residents The Chancellor qualifies his statement," and others interested in the formation however, by the cryptic sentence: of a chapter of the American Red Cross "but we must be safeguarded from which had been arranged for eleven the danger of a country with which o'clock Thursday morning, February .28th at the Hongkong Hotel, has been postponed until eleven o'clock-Friday morning, March 1st, on account of the object of a jumping-off ground of inability of Mr. F. N. Doubledsy, of the New York, to be present at the time German Government explains exactly first appointed.

With reference to the distribution of the bags and clubs belonging to Members of the Golf Club, which were recovered from the Happy Valley Club House before they were destroyed by adherence were accepted as security fire, the bags and clubs had to be for the objects defined in them, but removed hurriedly and as a consequence some of the clubs fell out of the proper bags and were in some cases replaced indiscriminately, Members are therefore. requested to kindly exercise very care in claiming their property. A notification on the subject appears in our upon the maxim "necessity knows advertisement, columns. As regards the Clubs sent from Fanling for a German invasion of Belgium: Tuesday afternoon by cart, these have the inspiring motive was plunder been returned to the Fanling Club pure and simple. Germany invaded House.

Belgium to acquire control of her AMERICAN WOMEN'S WAR WORK AT CANTON.

and to acquire an extended coastline The following Red Cross supplies have been shipped by the American women of Canton to Colonel Gordon succeeded as well as those who Hall, R.A.M.C., Red Cross Headframed them had hoped, the German quarters, Cairo, Egypt: -9. dozen Chancellor is trying to make the officers pillowcases, 6 dozen surgical caps, 8 dozen jug covers, 7 dozen virtue. In the early days of the war handkerchiefs, 61 draw sheets, 27 the Germans could talk of Belgiam Honnel bed jackets, 14 pairs flanne in no other terms but as German pyjamas, 12 pairs cotton pyjamas territory for the future. Even 300 4 inch swabs, 12 brush and comb MAXIMILIAN HARDEN, NOW one of hags, 36 flannel shirts, 45 surgical the most prominent advocates of scrubbing cloths, 35 pairs woollen "peace without annexations," wrote socks, 12 pairs knitted surgical stockin October 1914 in regard to Belgium ings, 18 cotton shirts, 94 tray covers, in the following terms: "A noble 8" x 11", 100 small swabs, 151 Germanism must here conquer new triangular swabs, 12 cotton manyprovinces. Antwerp not tailed bandages, 48 cotton fiannel opposed to, but in conjunction many-tailed bandages, w pillow cases with Hamburg and Bremen; Liege and 9 jug severs.

DON'T COUGH.

TT is absert to allow a cough to hang with Krupp; Belgian iron, coal and L on and sap your vitality when Chamberlain Cough Remedy will cure you. You don't know where a persistent From Calais to Antwerp, Flanders, cough will land you. You can't afford to allow your throat and lungs to become Limburg and Brahant right beyond diseased when it is such a simple thing the line of the Mense fortresses bottle of Ohamberlain's Cough Remedy all Prussian. Are all these ambi- For stle by all Chanists and Store

THE GREAT TRAGEDY.

LATEST DETAILS

THE OFFICIAL REPORT. The Official Report by the Police

is na follows:-Between 3.55 and 3 p.m. on the 26th instant as the fifth ruce was about to start, the south-western portion of the matshed booths near the gute of the Race Course swayed and fell down.

About three or four minutes after wards the eastern portion of the matshed booths also collapsed.

At the same time a fire broke out the kitchen departments of the

Police, military and civilians renlered every usustance in the rescue of the people.

Forty-one persone were removed to: the Government, Civil Hospital, eleven to the Tung Wah Hospital and several to the Royal Naval Hospital with the consent of Surgeon Dreaper. In connection with the casualties arrived. We learn that all the pupils first aid was rendered by Mrs. Stabb. who were entered from the Belilios Mrs. Dyer and several other ladies

> Adams, the manager of the Royal to further assist identification. Naval Canteen; the Hongkong and

Deaths numbered ...... 570 Removed to hospital ... 52 Reported missing ...... . 84 Further enquiries are being made.

OFFICIAL LIST OF IDENTIFIED VICTIMS.

The following is the full list as recorded by the Police of the victims

who have been identified:-Peter Herbert Gandall, America subject (Honolulu), age 20, clerk in the employ of the Cas Co... Wong Wai To, male, 33, of 82,

Jerrois Street. Yau Cheong Hoi; angle, 84, of 7 Stanley Street. Chan Sap, female, 29.

Leung Mui, female, 12. Kwan Fuk Lam, male, 25, Astor House.

Leung Yee Kat, female, 20, of 173 Queen's Road East. Wong Yung, male, 11, of 219, Queen's Road East.

Kana Kiyama, Japanese female, 27, of 12, Praya East. Leung Ying Leung, male, 23, of | 29; Kennedy Road.

Wu Sau, male, 28, of 104, Connaught Road Central. Ah Tai, female, 40, of 228, Wing Lok Street.

Tsui Leung Shun; male, 8, of 11 Chancery Lane.

Road East. Jubilee Street.

Cheng Sik Fai, male, 18, of 12, Jubilee Street Young Ah Pe, male, 5, of 812 Queen's Road East.

Wong Chan Wa, male, 18, of 48 Connaught Road Central. Wai, of the Kowloon Dairy. Yuen Lai King, female, 4, of

Saiwan Hos Chan Mi, male, 25, of 5, Ship Street. Li Shi Tan, male, 6, of 11, New

Street. Ng Kam Chan, female, 16, of 31, catastrophe attended with Sau Wa Fongi

Ho Chun Fung, male, 25, of the Confor Bank, Mak Chiu Chung, male, 28, of 104, Queen's Road Central.

Staunton Street.

Your Road Central. Old Bailey.

tile Bank Kwan Chun Kwok, tonle, \$2 of

281, Hollywood Boad. Mak Wing Chan, male, 70, of 104, Connaught Boad Central. Li Kwai, male, 33, of 183, Wanches Road

Yeung Tok Chun, male, 20, of 20 Hing Lung Lane Ho Tai, female, 40, of 27, Jerve

So Sze Hin, male, 22, of 8, Dee LEGISLATIVE AND Voux Road West. Ma Kan Shi, female, 30, of 21,

Jervois Street. Loung Hung To, male, 18, of 29,

Kennedy Road. Zenjiro Fukuda, Japanese male, 26, of the Mitsui Bussan Gosbi

Kaisha. Kwong Cham, male, 80, of 181 Praya East. Lau Pun Shi, female, 46, of 223

Wing Lok Street. Ip Mo. Tinn, female, 33, of 28, Staunton Street. So Chau Ho, female, 31; of 9, Tu Yuen Street.

Mak Chun Shan, male, 59, of 104, Connaught Road Central: Tom Hamet, Mahomedan male, 18 of 38, Morrison Hill Road.

Ng Kwok Man, male, 25, of Cross Street. Leung U Chap; male, 21, of 3, Des

Cheung Sai Kee, male, 18 months, of 118, Wanchai Road. Yin Morita, Japanese female, 26 of Kowloon.

ARTICLES OF JEWELLERY, &c

Vœux Road West.

We are informed that there is no also, with your permission, oundation for a report in a contemporary that articles of lewellery were Public School (of which Mrs. Tutcher is unknown. Dr. McKenny was pre-removed from the corpses. In the instances where jewellery and other Sir Henry Blake. His services are In connection with the rescue work articles fell off the corpses as they All reports of the calamity at the Lieutenant Ritchie, of the United were being laid out for identification, of the Bank Line, Mr. Harvey, Mr. on the Bodies to which they belonged

Such articles as were picked up Shanghai Bank staff and a number without a trace of their ownership, of military men gave every assist- we understand will be put into glass. cases and made available for inspection by relatives and friends of missing persons with a view to identification.

> THE JAPANESE ORGANISATION AT THE SCENE.

Another report published in a conemporary which has given much pain relates to the effort of the Japanesa Benevolent Society to give aid to their injured national. It the first reading of a Bill intituled an at its height a Japanese flag was Abolition Ordinance 1888. holsted near the scene and a meetoccurred. On one of the stands there matter occasioned by, of course, the sad was a considerable number of Japana catastrophe which happened last Tuesese, and when the disaster occurred day which has rendered it necessary, quarters of the Japanese relief committee. We are unable to learn that inquiry the Magistrate should b the benevolent object of this guthering of Japanese helpers was interfered with by the authorities.

A REGRETTABLE INCIDENT.

A regrettable incident occurred death of Mr. Albert Ah Wee, the late proprietor of the Kowloon Dairy. Kwok So, male, 88, of 60, Queen's His relatives had identified the body Cheng Sik Hung, male, of 12, Christian burial at 6 p.m. yesterday. prevent the fullest inquiry into the At the appointed time there was a circumstances which have led to this large gathering of relatives and friends at the Monument and the Rev. Copley Moyle was present the Cemetery to conduct the service. It transpired, however, that owing some unfortunate mistake the identi Albert Ahwee, 64, alias Chan Pak fication number had been lost, with seconded and the Bill was then passed the result that the body had been buried with others at Mount Caroline

CHURCH SERVICES.

There was a service abothe Roman Catholic Cathedral last night when many who were saved from the friends to offer thanks to God Leung Im Ho, female, 28, of 51; the salvation of their lives.

We are informed by Bishop Pozizoni that on Monday next, the 4th March, at 9 a.m., a solemn Requiem Mass will be song in the Catholic Cathedral for the repose of the souls of U Pik U, male, 31, of 59, Des those who so dismally lost their lives in the sad mastrophe at the Happy Kwok Hun Kai, female, 22, of 5, Valley. All Catholics are carnestly exhipred to assist at this service not Edward Vincent Pereirs, Portu- only in order to succour the souls of guese, 17, clerk in the Merson the deseased but also as an expression of sympathy sewards their rolatives in their bereavement

DON'S RISK! PREUMONIA.

A El rid of every cold as quickly as The possible. It is the foremaner of all pulmonary trouble and preumonia may develop in a few hours. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, It is simple thing to do, but the effect inacyclous, For sale by all Chemiste and

EXECUTIVE COUNCILS:

A SPECIAL MEETING.

A special meeting of the Executive and Legislative Councils was hold at 2,30 p.m. this afternoon, all members of the Legislative Council and the Hon. Sir Paul Chater, C.M.G., and the Hon. Council, being present.

> THE CONDOLENCE OF THE COUNCILS.

His EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR said :- This meeting has been called Death was instantaneous, the in order to pass the following resolu- assassin escaping.

Councils of Hongkong desire to record their heartfelt sympathy with the relatives and friends of all those instant.

that we can best testify our assent mander-in-Chief of the First Squaby standing in silence.

and stood in silence for a short while. His EXCELLENCY said :- I desire take this oportunity of moving resolution of "condolence with widow and family of the so recent date that I do not think necessary for me to refer to them now. But particularly, I would like to say that his name will always be held in grateful memory by the Chinese community for the close co-operation he established between the Government, the European

community and the Chinesecommunity. seconded. The Members of the Councils then

short while. The Members of the Executive

Council then left. THE INQUIRY INTO THE

COLLAPSE. The Hon ATTORNEY GENERAL moved

The ATTORNEY GENERAL said he the Company to-day at 11.30 a.m. ing held which was eventually dia- had to spologise for the fact that the persed by the authorities! This is Bill had only just resched the members, a mischievous interpretation of what owing to the fact of the urgency of the the flag was taken from the matshed to a certain extent to alter the Ordiand planted—as is customary with nance relating to Coroners Inquiries, the Japanese even in Japan-as and Under the existing law such juries must indication of a rendezvous, or head-, be drawn from the Common Jurors List It was desirable that in the coming assisted by as strong a jury as possible and it was proposed to give him power. on occasions to requisition a special jury for the purpose of indemnitying It was clearly desirable that

enquiry should be commenced as early as possible.

moved the second reading of the Bill. Ordinance will not, in any sense, unfortunate tatastrophe . Otherwise shall move for full powers to commission of enquiry. HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR

said:—The object of this legislation is to facilitate the enquiry that will, I hope, satisfy the entire community. THE HON. COLONIAL SECRETARY

through the remaining stages.

THE BILLIARD CHAMPIONSHIE Printer white the first printer was to me to get the fell of the first The following are the fixtures for the second round of the Open Billiard Championship of the Colony held under Cement Co.'s shares at \$7.50 each for the auspices of the Victoria Recreation instead of \$10 last year, a return of

been made on these shares. With J. S. Jennings, w. Pokie P. Wong, regard to prospects for the present Thursday, 28th. February. Isang Po Man, e.E. Guimarnes, Fri- year, I can only say that we have begun well and that I see no reason day lat. March. C. W. Hart, v. A. G. Pile, Saturday, to anticipate any falling off in

P. Yvanovich, C.W. R. Nsighbour, of the Report and Accounts, and the Tuesday, 5th. March.

6th March Winner of Lie R. H. Ellarby, election to the Consulting Committee RAM C. STRIA . Osmund match-(27/2/18) . . R. W. Bearne, Thurs Sgt A. H. Ives, R.G.A., v. Wong Po. Houg Friday, 8th March

A FORTY YEARS TEST.

HAMBERLAINS Cough Bemedy has been curing congestand colds: for the post forty years and has gained in popularity every year. What better dividend warrants would be ready recommendation is required by the sale to morrow and the meeting the by all Chemista and Storakoopers.

THE ASSASSINATION OF ADMIRAL CHING.

GENERALISSIMO'S REPROBATION OF THE ACT.

The Intelligence Bureau of Canton communicates the following under date of February 27th:

Admiral Ching Pi-kwang, Minister Mr. E. H. Sharpe, K.C., of the Executive of the Chinese Navy, was assassinated at 8.45 o'clock on the evening of February 26, on the Bund, Canton. while landing from a sampan from his beadquarters at the Hai-chu.

Dr. Sun Yat-sen, Generalissimo ni The Executive and Legislative the Military Government; Mr. Was Ching-lien, Speaker of the National Assembly: Dr. Wu Ting-fang Miniswho perished, or suffered injury, in ther for Foreign, Affaire; and General the catastrophe occasioned by the Mu Ying-baien, Military Governor of collapse and burning of the matsheds Kwangtung, have issued a joint announcement of the death of the His Excellency said :- I suggest Admiral. Admiral Lin Po-yih, Comdron, will have the charge of the

.The Members of Councils then rose Navy pending further action. Generalissimo Sun Yat-sen and all Constitutionalists deplore and condemn this cruel and unmanly action by the enemy to law and order, but reaffirm their belief that no endurable peace will ever come to China unless the militarists and others are made to respect and observe that Constitution of the Republic as the supreme law of the land. The death of Admiral Ching will not affect the attitude of the South-West for good government and a free country. His sacrifice and the devotion of his noble The Hon. Mr. LAU CHU PAR life for a noble cause will but hasten all friends of liberty to the realization of a Constitution and a free and again rose and stood in silence for a representative assembly in the Republic of China.

COMPANY MEETING!

THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE CO., LTD.

The twenty-first ordinary annual was stated that while the fire was Ordinance to smend the Coroner's meeting of sharsholders of the above Company was held at the Offices of

Mr. R. G. Shewan presided and there were present Messrs. S. H. Dodwell and H. P. White (Consulting Committee), Mr., H. F. Campbell (Secretary) and Messrs. A. O: Lang, R. Hancock, C. Klinck, G. H. May; I. M. Gordon, M. A. Figueiredo, B. Henderson, J. Toppin, W. Adamson, A. P. Samy, T. Leeman and R. A.

The CHAIRMAN said: Gentlemen.-The Report and Accounts for 1917 have been in your hands for some rdays and from them you will have seen that our gross earnings amount ed to \$185,291 and our net earnings to \$124,649. This is a net improvement of \$15,000 over last years THE HON COLONIAL SECRETARY figures after paying the \$2,500 donayesterday in connection with the seconded and the Bill passed its first tion to War Charities voted at last year's meeting and after providing THE HON. ATTORNEY GENERAL \$4,561.41 to cover loss in oxon the value of our change ... THE HON. MR. P. H. HOLYOLE said: sterling investment in British War and arrangements had been made for \_\_\_I take it that this amendment to the Loan. We are thus able to pay our usual dividend of seven per cent. and put \$85,000 to the Reserve Fund which I think you will agree with me is a satisfactory result of the year's work. Money was not in great demand during 1917 and we were not able to put out so much on loan as in previous years, but us regards our godown bysiness the favourable prospects with which we began the year were well mointained and our earnings from this department were very satisfactory. In the accounts the principal items are very much the same as before, but you will notice that the £1,000 invested in 41 per cent. British War Lean since converted into 5 per cent, loun 1929/47 now stands at 8/w exchange and the investment in Green Island

> Bgt. S. H. Barker, R.G.A., v. Gr. J. R. The CHAIRMAN proposed, and Mr. Lord, E.G.A., Monday, 4th. March. H. P. WHITE seconded, the adoption

capital of \$2.50 per share having

motion was carried. C. Botting, w. S. Gray, Wednesday, Mr. R. HANCOCK proposed, past Mr. C. Kincs seconded, the teof Messrs. H. P. White, S. H. Doll. well and U Poi On, and the motion

was carried Mr. J. M. Gordon proposed, and Mr. J. Toppin seconded, the re-clostion of Mr. F. Maitland and Mr. H Terey, Smith as audifors for the ensuing year int a remuneration of \$200 each, and the motion was

The CHAIRWAN then aunounced the

## THE WOLF'S RAID.

## FURTHER DETAILS.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 26. The crew of the Igotzmandi say that the steamer was captured whilst en route to Australia, with 7,000 tons of coal The next victim was the British steamer Matunga, with a valuable cargo. The crew of the Mahinga were taken baoard the Wolf and well treated, and the three vessels proceeded to a deserted Dutch island, where a part of Maininga's cargo was stored the most valuable part taken on sbord the Wolf, after which the Malunga was sunk. Shortly afterwards, the American

Igotzmendi. From the coast of Australia the Wor and the Igolamendi returned via the ·Cope, parting company to the south Iceland, the Instanculi going northward

ton Japanese steamer Takis Marie

(Hitachi Marn) full of Asiatics, who

were taken on board the Wolf and the

#### and the Wolf southwards. CAPTURED SPANISH STEAMER

## STRANDED.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 26. The Spanish steamer Igotzmendi. Captured by the German mider Wolf; stranded east of Skaw Lighthouse with a German prize crew aboard also passengers and "erews" of half-a dozen sunk ships. A number passengers were rescued including nine women and two children. lawyer and his wife from Singapore, and a Sexagenarian professor Sydney University, also two Australian medical officers who have been Interned.

The Igotamendi is a steamer of 5,000 tons, she was captured by the Wolf in the Indian Ocean nine mounths ago. · A German prize erew was put aboard. Since then she has Sollowed the Wolf

The Spanish crew and the prize rew have been brought ashore. ormer are proceeding home and th atter are being interned.

### THE LABOUR PARTY CONFERENCE

LONDON, Feb. 26. The proceedings of the Labour Party Conference are notable for the lefeat of the extreme Socialists. The atter withdrew the amendment lenouncing the new Constitution and ther umendments, designed strengthen the voting power of the refuse to listen to the voice of reason Independent Labour Party in the new Party, were defeated by big majorities.

## THE IRISH CONVENTION.

LONDON, Feb. 26. The Press Bureau unnounces that

tothe Cabinet. After a discussion the Convention far exceeding the original aim. adjurned until Wednesday, to conside Sir H. Plunkett's report.

#### COPULARITY OF PRESIDENT WILSON IN ENGLAND.

Ma John Lane: the publisher, writers -to The Times follows :- "If the popularindeal in private houses. Presculent Wilson is easily the first at the present moment in England. In the last two months I have visited the following cities and towns :- Bath, Bristol, Einter Leiceter, Nottingham, Chippenham, Circuester, Malmesbury, Brighton, Worthing, Barnstaple, Bideford, Taunton. Plymouth and Torquey, and I have been mich struck with the number and prominence of President Wilson's por traits. This shall be very gratifying to our gree ally."

The lostomater General communiester the Allowing :- The London Post peace will be the apportunity for an Office advice that all parcels (except exchange of views by representatives of those for brisoners of War), and all belligerent opinion. sample packets, for Denmark, Holland. Norway, Span, Sweden, and Switzerland, will be stopped by the Military Censors unles posted under a War Office permit.

TRUNG IN THE THROAT. LIVEN the sightest tickling or Ni hoarseness it the throat may be

#### BARLIER TELEGRAMS

#### GERMAN CHANCELLOR ON PEACE.

#### RETENTION OF BELGIUM NOT CONTEMPLATED.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 37. "Count Hertling in the Reichstag, referring to the speech of Mr. Runciman, said if the latter meant that peace would sentatives met in conclave to discuss

individual questions he agreed, especially

as regards Belgium. "As I have repeatedly said, we do not contemplate retaining Belgium, but lians and have cleared a great part of we must be safeguarded from the danger of a country, with which we desire to live in peace and friendship after the war, becoming a jumping-off ground of enemy machinations. If, therefore, the proposal came frem the opposing side at the instance of the Government at Havre, we should not be antagonistic, even though the preliminary discussion barque Eduga was sunk, then the 6,000 might not be binding."

#### PRESIDENT WILSON'S PRINCIPLES.

Count Hertling admitted that President Wilson's message was n small step towards a rapprochement. He agreed with the four principles enunciated by President Wilson as the basis of general pesse discussion with reservation that these principles must he universally recognised. This god had not as yet been reached. When President Wilson said the German Chancellor was speaking to the tribunal of the world he must decline this tribunal as prejudiced and gladly as he would welcome and co-operate with an impartial court of arbitration, unfortunstely there was no trace of similar the Bolsheviks have issued a midnight Entente Powers. Great Britain's war- to dig trenches for the defence of the aims were still imperialistic. They capital. wished to impose upon the world a

peoples' right of self-determination, but did not think of applying the principle to Ireland, Egypt and India. "Peace in the East is now near and the world, especially neutrals, are asking if the gate is thus opened for a general peace, but Great Britain, France and Italy still seem to be completely unwilling to listen to the voice of reason and

peace according to Great Britain's good

pleasure. Great Britain spoke of the

#### humanity, WORLD LO. GING FOR PRACE

"The Entente, from the beginning, pursued aims of conquest. It is fighting for the delivery of Alsace-Lorraine to France. I have nothing to add to what I have formerly said, namely, it is no 

### THE FINAL DECISION

"The world stands before the final decision. Either the enemies must decide to conclude peace-they know on what conditions we are ready to begin discussion-or they must continue their insanity by their criminal war of conquest. Our people will hold out further, but the blood of the faller, the agonies of the mutilated and the distress and sufferings of the peoples will fall to upon the heads of those who insistently and humanity." - (Cheers.) 🐡

#### GERMANY WAGING A DEFENSIVE WAR.

Count Hertling again stated that and contended that operations in the make a general peace more remote East were reconciliable with that. The because America, Great Britain and sole aim was to secure the fruits of France will fight to the bitter endpeace with Ukraine. Germany did not a meeting of the Irish Convention in Esthonia and Livonia. The chief rejoice at Germany's pyrrhic victory the Chairman, Sir H. Plunkett, re- point was to create organs for self- over Russia. ported the results of the delegation determination and self-administration in Courland and Lithuania. Military the Russian Government's latest rapid

### THE POLISH PROBLEM.

arms, Germany now concludes peace.

spirit of goodwill. In the settlement of the frentier question, Germany was only demanding what militarily was indispensable.

### WHAT MR. RUNCIMAN SAID.

LONDON, Feb. 26. The speech of Mr. Runeiman men-

tioned by Count Hertling was made in the House of Commons on February 13. Hermain the greatest contribution to

## GERMAN PROPERTIES IN

LEADER

# WARRINGON, Feb. 25.

With reference to the much ment of had been corresponding with Count Stop it at ouer with Chumberlein's Bernstorff, had contributed to German. Cough Remedy. Potents by all Chemists Austrian and Turkish funds and was an zotive propagandist

THE GERMAN ADVANCE IN RUSSIA

HOW REVAL WAS TAKEN.

LONDON, Feb. 26. A German official report states:

Four days after crossing the Moon Sound, our troops, marching on Reval cantured the fortress after a battle.

Flags were hung out in many towns of Livonia, when we entered. Many inhabitants arrested by the

Russians, were liberated. ... A violent battle was a prelude to the capture of Pskiff. General Linsingen stormed and carried Kolenkowitz and be brought nearer if belligerent repre- the railway station. Upwards of three hundred kilometres were covered in a few days on foot, by rail and motor car, despite great strain and hardship.

We are co operating with the Ukranthe country of looting gangs, recently on the Eastern Front tool three Divisional Staff officers, officers, and 3,676 men as prisoners.

#### "THE DAMNED MINIONS OF WILLIAM."

PETROGRAD, Feb. 26. The Government has issued a prolandlords and capitalists. If you are better prepared than ever before. workers, soldiers and peasants wish to retain the power, you must fight the MONS HEROES SENT TO HOLLAND GERMAN hordes seeking to devour you."

## THE DEFENCE OF PETROGRAD.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 26. Is consequence of the German entry into Pskoff, otherwise known as Pleskan sentiments on the part of the leading call to the people to secure implements

The greatest activity prevails. BRESTLITOVSK CONFERENCES

#### TO BE REOPENED. AMSTERDAM, Feb. 25.

A Berlin message says Count Hertling informed the Reichstag that Delegates have gone to Brestlitovsk. Although a dispute about the details is possible. peace must ensue very shortly. the Austro-Hungarian Delegates have

#### gone to Brestlitovsk. THE CONTINUANCE OF

### HOSTILITIES.

LONDON, Feb. 26. A.Russian efficial report states :--M. Lenin and M. Trotzky, in com-Alsace-Lorraine question in the Inter plaining of the continuance of hostilities, national sense. The world is longing have inquired whether Germany intends for peace, but the enemy Governments to reply to Russia's expressed consent are again inflaming the war passion. to sign the proposed conditions of peace Other voices, however, have been heard and to General Krylenko's inquiry in England and it is to be hoped that whether armistics does not automatieally follow the acceptance of such

#### FOREIGN DIPLOMATS LEAVE -- -PETROGRAD.

London, Feb. 26. A telegram from Petrograd states that the American, Japanese, Chinese, Siamese and Brazilian diplomats have leparted to the interior of Eussia. They will probably go to Vologon and await developments. The British and French Embassies

will remain till the last moment. PRESS COMMENT ON THE

### SEPARATE PEACE.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 25 The Vienna Arbeiter Zeitung says that Germany was waging a defensive war a separate peace with Russia can culy The journal declares that Austria intend to establish herself, for example, needs general peace, hence she does not

The Leipziger Volkszeilung says that action, however, had produced success, move has upset the carefully prepared game of the German Government, which

does not want peace. The Socialist, Herr Cohn, speaking in The guiding principle with regard to the Reichstag on Friday, denied that Rumania will be the imperative desire the people of the Baltic Provinces were

to convert into friends States with lunging for Germany. He emphatically which, on the basis of success of German | declared that a general peace was not The constitutional problem in Poland, The Stuttgarter Tageblatt, commenting

in a narrower sense, was still in a stage upon the anti-German; speeches in the of exhaustive discussion between Ger. Austrian Parliament, recalls the terrible ity of public man may be gauged by many, Austria-Hungary and Poland, sufferings of the German soldiers in the the number of portraits of him displayed and he hoped that the great unrest in defence of Austria and says that such in the shops and public buildings and Poland, due to the Ukraine peace treaty; speeches severely try the sympathy of would disappear by compromise and a the Clerman nation for the Austro-German Alliance

#### THE RUMINIAN PEACE DISCUSSIONS.

BULGARIAN DELEGATION TO PARTICIPATE.

#### AMSTERDAM, Feb. 24. A Bulgarian Delegation has gone to Bucharest to participate in

Rumanian peace negotiations. Before departure, the Finance Minister. M. Toutcheff, who is the Chief Delegate informed the Sobranje that the Bulgarians are concentrating upon of appreciation and sympathy for the regaining Dobrudia.

#### NEGOTIATIONS WITH CAUCASUS REPUBLIC IMPENDING.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 26.

A message from Bukharest says the

imperding with the Couceaus Espublic 150 matives and Indians were drowned. Government

### THE MESTERS FROMT

## GERMAN PRESS BOASTING.

LOXDON, Feb. 26. Corman newspapers are, publishing articles, boasting of the coming offensive declaring that the advance on Bonde were assured of success. Russia has not weakened the Western

#### THE COMING OFFENSIVE.

#### THE PREPARATIONS OF THE ALLIES.

London, Feb. 26. Reuter's Correspondent at French Headquarters, wiring yesterday, says: - fat Home, but he did not think there shadow of the expected German offensive looms larger it is comforting to know that the French are ready on every sector of the long line to meet the blow whenever it falls Behind the French front as well as behind the British the winter has been a time of allent and methodical preparation. Unnumbered miles of trouches have been dug, roads and communications have been improved, clamation declaring that, despite the fresh monstrous growths of wire have MacPherson, Parliamentary Secretar together with the White Guards, are stronger defence is the unconquerable by the Order-in-Council made in January, shooting the members of the Soviets spirit of the French army. They are 1916. and reconstituting the power of the ready as they always have been, and

## FOR INTERNMENT.

London, Feb. 26. A telegram from Rotterdam says that a further batch of released British pri-

#### military transports going westwards. THE ITALIAN FRONT.

#### ACTIVE ORGANISATION BY AUSTRIANS.

LONDON, Fab. 26. A correspondent at Italian Headquarters says the Austrians have been A telegram from Vienna states that actively organizing their forces during the past two months, broadening roads and installing aerial cable transports with unusually large cars in view of reinforcing threatened points withou the delay of climbing. There has also been much movement in the direction of Lake Gards, suggesting that Gard will bulk more largely than bitherto any prospective offensive. Their aircraft have been most active in disseminating

#### AUSTRALIAN REPRESENTATION IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

leaflets inciting Italians to imitate th

LONDON, Feb. 26. A telegram from Sydney announces that Mr. Joseph Cook (who was leader of the Liberal Opposition) accompanies Premier Hughes to the Imperial Conference in England.

## CANADIAN UNIONIST PARTY.

SUPPORTED BY SOLDIERS!

# OTTAWA, Feb. 20.

The voting of Canadian soldiers in France, Canada and the United States adds eight members to the Unionist Party in Parliament.

#### The voting of the Canadians in Great Britain has not as yet been announced.

## THE AALAND ISLANDS. TO EVACUATE

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 24. An agreement has been reached ledge thereof should be put at the regarding the evacuation of the Asland, disposal of the British trading comslands by the Russian and Finnish munity:

A Swedish force has gone to the Asland Islands to maintain order.

#### GERMAN PROPAGANDA AT COSTA RICA. REVOLUTIONARY OUTBREAKS

SUPPRESSED. NEW YORK, Feb. 26.

Revolutionary outbreaks are reported in Costa Rica, engineered by pro-Ger-They were promptly suppressed.

#### CARNEGIE GIVES \$1,000,000 TO MOUTLE UNIVERSITY.

LONDON, Feb. 26. ed the McGill University with a million rander help soon. dollars in recognition of the Institution's "devoted service and sacrifice towards Cenada's part in the war." I The letter accompanying the notification refers to the award as an expression people of Canada on the part of their Allies over the south border.

# THE PLOODS AT UNFOLOSI.

EUROPEAN CASUALTIES. DUBAN, Feb. 26.

#### HATIONAL WAR BONDS.

## THEIR SUCCESS ASSURED.

LONDON Feb. 26. Mr. Bonar Law, in a speech at the Aldwych Club, said the National War

Not jucluding the money given direct by the bankers, the War Bonds had already raised more than the total of the new money, secured by the 41 per cent lian.

He appealed to great financial institutions to convert Treasury Bills into War Bonds and appealed to everyone to save and lend their sayings to the

Mr. Bouar Law said we had a rugged path. If there was any danger it was As the season advances and the was any real danger that there was ground for discouragement or faint-

#### THE POWERS OF THE ARMY COUNCIL.

LONDON, Feb. 25. the House of Commons, Mr.

acceptance of the German terms the sprung on every road and field through to the War Office, announced that an "Imperialist assassins continue their which the German advance may cor Order-in-Council will be issued restoring moustrous advance in the interior of ceivably lie, and artillery and munitions to the Army Council and Secretary po The damned minions of are ready in quantities the Germans State for War powers and duties trans-William and the German Kaledina never before encountered, but a super- ferred to the Chief of the General Staff,

#### MR. GERARD'S NEW BOOK.

GENERAL STAFF ALL POWERFUL.

LONDON, Feb. 25. A further instalment of Mr. Gerard's new book declares that the ultimate soners, all Mons heroes, have arrived at power in Germany rests with the Scheveningen for internment in Holland. General Staff, which more or less controls Their train was detained at Cologue the actions of the Kaiser, and even for three hours, apparently owing to claims the right to give a final decision upon questions of foreign policy. Hence, Mr. Gerard concludes it was

#### THE INTER-ALLIED SOCIALIST CONFERENCE.

General Ludendorff who decided upon

the rupture with America.

## COMPLETE UNITY

PROBLEMATICAL. LONDON, Feb. 25, The Daily Telegraph Labour Correspondent states that it is problematical whether all the Delegates to the inter-Allied Socialist Conference endorse the Memorandum in respect of their own national claims. It is understood that the Italians are dissatisfied with the

meagre recognition of the Italian claim to the Trentino. The abstention of British-spenling peoples is still a more serious matter. The absence of any Delegation from the British Dominions is to be deplored, as the real opinion of Fabour in Australia, Canada, and South Africa is most important as regards the

#### inture of the German colonies. A LABOUR PARTY CONFERENCE.

## BROADENING THE BASIS.

LONDON, Feb. 26. A conference of the Labour Party met under the chairmanship of Mr. Purdy with the object of broadening the basis of the English Labour Party and to arrange the admission of individuals, as distinct from organised Labour

### ENEMY COMMERCIAL

PENETRATION. TO BE CAREFULLY WATCHED.

LONDON, Feb. 26. In the House of Commons Mr. Steel RUSSIAN AND FINNISH TROOPS Maitland said commercial attaches If \$500,000 is available for distribution: would keep a constant watch in order that any system of commercial penetration attempted by our rivals in future should be clearly understood and know-

## THE WRECK OF THE FLORIZEL

### THE CASUALTIES.

Sr. John's, Feb. 26. Of 146 aboard the Florizel 44 were rescued, including the Captain, Mate, twenty-five of the crew and seventeen

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nurse perished. Only two out of fourteen women

Lloyd's representative states that people are still on board the Florizel, but only the forecastle is above water. A rocket line was got on board after dark but there was no response. The The Carnegie Corporation has present ; see is moderating, and it is expected to

#### CONSTITUTIONALISTS CAPTURE CHENGTHE.

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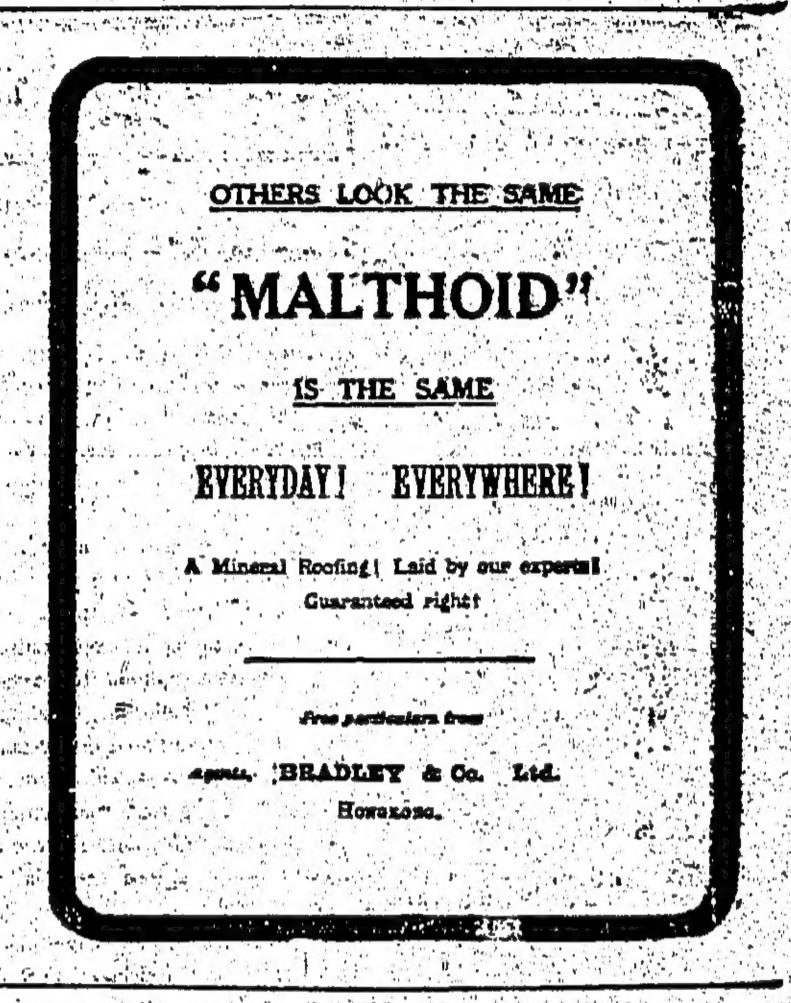
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Ceptain Henke of the United States Bulgarian peace representatives have

Army for refusing to fight his kinsmen, arrived. The representatives of the The Magistrate at Empangem reports. Constitution of the Property of the P private papers seized revealed that he Turks are expected immediately from that thirteen Europeans at Umfolosi congrutulation to the troops. Other back are while, and said in apprised

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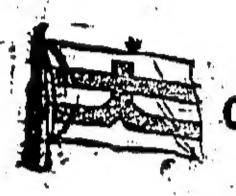
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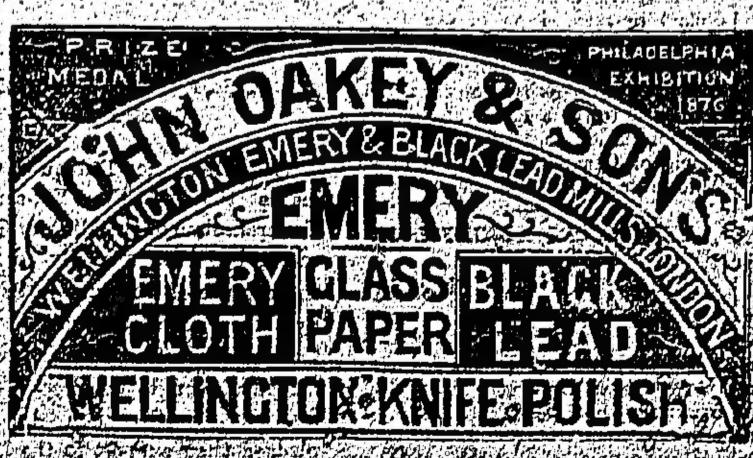
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## A DEFENCE OF SIMLA

Simla officials is made by Sir Bruce Seton, Burt., in the columns of the " Glasgow Herald." Readers of Rudyard Kipling and novelists who specialise in descriptions of "Anglo-Indian life" as they imagine it, he says, regard Simla as a place to be spoken of with bated breath, a place where certain of the commandments weigh lightly on the European residents, a sort of Himalayan Alsatia. On the contrary, there is no place in the Ludian Empire where hmore solid work is demanded of the men who make up the Government of India, the Army Headquarters Staff, and the Covernment

When Mesopotamia was made the subject of an official inquiry, says Sir Bruce, an ill-instructed Press hastened to suggest that to the conditions of Himalayan bill. myself on the back." top life were due the disasters which were eally the result of political mismanage ment at home. The public was asked to believe that the Army Headquarters Staff were fools, and spent their time dancing. acting, and playing polo, and that the time had come to abolish Simla as an to France, East Africa, China, and man that it was time to go home. Mesopotamia is not one of the contingeneios which have ever had to be considered in India at all, nor one for which the Army there exists, and that the father; Ethel's sitting on him! " improvisation of armies is less possible there than it is in Europe. And so Press and public accepted the view that the Indian Staff was entirely to blame, and lines has for years past been regarded as amongst their customers. to train a thomoughly disloyal Bengali with remarkable rapidity. habu in our schools than to raise the standard of military education of an ting into your head? " asked a friend. Indian soldier. And the inevitable result was Mesopotamia-for which the politician, not the soldier, was to blame, As long as Lord Kitchener was Commanderin-Chief, the financial authorities dared not refuse him a penny, nor did the Secretary of State interfere, with his plans; but his departure from India was the signal for progressive retrenchment on the military side, and his work was being rapidly and thoroughly undone when

"Of course the disturbing feature in Sir Bruce Seton, is the presence of the best lawyer. air sex, and as they come up in large numbers for two or three months to the lines when there is nothing there. escape from the appaling conditions of life in the plains during the hot weather, they swell the already considerable resident population. The "frivolity," of which Press critics accuse Simla, innocent enough, and consists tennis, dining out, dances, and the theatre. As regards tennis, so far from its prejudicing the quality of the work performed by the officials, it would probably be a most excellent thing if every man were compelled to play two or three times a week. The game is taken seriously, as a game of skill as well as for exercise. The fashion in Kipling days appears to have been for men to spend their daylight hours after office taking ladies to tes shops and " poodle-faking generally; this kind of thing has been absolutely killed by tennis, and the whole tone of Simla life has been metamor-

As to dancing, it must be remembered that in the East exercise is absolutely essential to health. Riding is out of the question in Simla, where the roads are mostly footpaths on the edges of precipices. And there are not enough of tennis courts for every one "to play regularly. Dancing therefore is much

more than merely a social function. You do not tell the young thing who is piloting you through a fox trot that your A strong defence of Simla and the ultimate object is to get exercise, or, as Mr D. Abraham a distinguished official once told his MrE. S. Adler .. Mr and Mrs E. L. partner, that you dance solely on medical Mrs T. M. Alexander Eleindans grounds. But the fact remains that in a place where a very hard-worked official Mr A. Bader community finds exercise a difficulty, especially during the three rainy months. dancing really does make for health.

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"Well." said the father to Johnny, has he gone?' . Johnny (all smiles) :- "He can't

COULDN'T CLIMB SO HIGH.

As is pretty well known, by a recent that it was the result of a rotten military order of the Control Board publicans in and social sins of life at Simla. To people whisky down to 50 per cent, below proof. who hold such views it is quite useless In other words, what they sell for whisky to point out that the military Budget of is really half-water. Many of them, too, Mr M. Ganjoin sion, that village sanatation on Western to the disgust of the more hardened topers Mr Gestreand

of far greater importance than aeroplanes | Recently one of these was guiping down or machine guns, and that it is better glass after glass in a Strand saloon har Mr and Mrs C. E. Seybt

" Aren't you alraid of that liquor gat-"Not it," replied the other disdainfully. 'This whisky's too weak to climb."

DEFINITIONS.

Ambition-A nest egg that hatches out Disappointment.

Bore-A person who never flatters us. Ennui-Being tired of doing nothing. but too tired to do anything else. Optimist-A person who polishes up the Mr and Mrs Paul Mr J. B. Suttor dark side of life.

Jury-A body of twelve men selected to Simila; as in the Garden of Eden, admits decide which one of the litigants, has the Gossip-A person who can read between

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Geders for Engineer Company by Captain W. Russell.

F. L. Manning Nightly. Parades as per rosters posted at modeunters Engine Drivers at 6.p.m. Electricians at 6.15 p.m. OFFICIES NEXT FOR DUTY.

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Die Orders for Infantry Battalion by Major H. A. Morgan.

PARADES.

FRIDAY, 1st March:—

5.15 p.m. -N.C.O.'s and men as detailed by O.C., to complete Tests of Elementary Iraining, at Headquarters, under C. S. M. Blair, Dress, Drill order with pouches.

RECEUTS. FRIDAY, 1st March :--5.15 p.m. -All units, except "D 7 Com-Bergis. Edmonds and Meade. Dress, Drill order.

" B" COMPANY. PRIDAY, 1st March. 5.15 p.m. Nos 3 and 4 Sections, on Muray Parade Ground. Musketry Instruction. Dress. Drill order with pouches. Sergt. Uxberry and Corpl. Brimes will attend.

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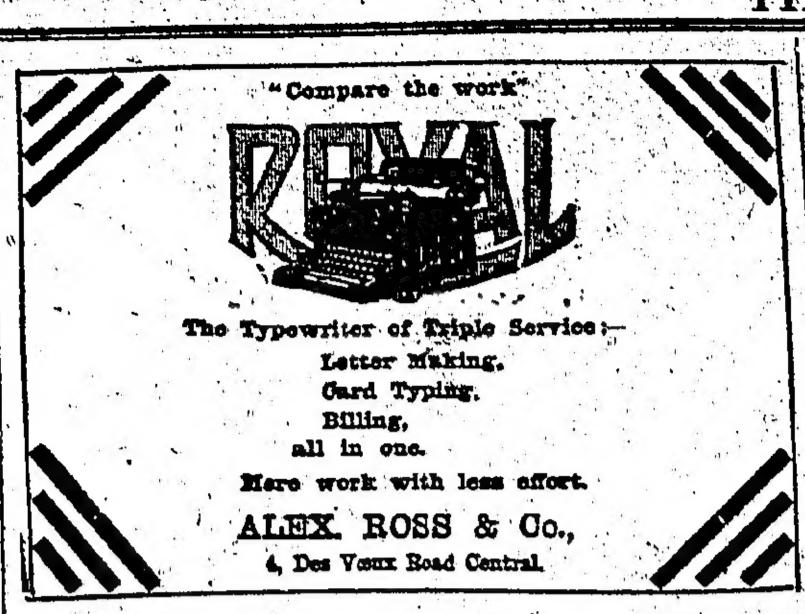
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#### HONGKONG MARKET PRICES.

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	Prime Cut	24
19	Corned, -Ham Ngan Yuk.	23
	Rosst, Shin . ,	24
	Breast,-Ngau Nam	20
19	Scap,-Tong Yak	20
141	Steak,-Ngau Yuk Pa	24
	Steak Sirloin, - Ngan / Lan	30
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	Torgue, corned,—Ham Ngr	12
4 7	Head,-Ngan Tau each J	
1	Heart,-Ngau Sam. 1b.	13
1	Hump, Salt-Ngau Kin .,	20
	Feet,-Rgan Kenkeach	10
	Kidneys,-Ngan Yin	10
	Tail,-Ngau Mei ,.	20
, 4	Liver, -Ngan Kon 1b.	13
1 10	Tripe (undressed), Ngau To	lb.

Calves' Head and Feet,-Ngau-tsai	1 1
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Mutton Chop, Yenng Pei Kwat [	b. 26
Leg Yeang Pai	26
Shoulder, -Young Shan	
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,, Feet,-Cha Keak 1b	. 15
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",, Heart,—Ohu Sam ea	ab 10
,, Kidneys, -Chu Yiu es	
Liver,—Chu Kon 1b	
Pork Chop,-Chu Pai Kwat ,	
, Leg.—Chu Pei	28
,, Loin,-Chu Hau Tun ,	28
, Fat or Lard, -Chu Yau	21

Sheep's Head and Feet,-Yearg	
Tau Kenk see see	60
Heart Young Sam each	8
Kidneys,-Yeung Yiu each	12
Liver,-Yeung Kon 1b.	26
Sucking Pigs, to order, -Chu Tsal ,,	2
Suet, Beef, Shang Ngan Yau ,	20
Mutton, -Shang Young You ,	26
Veal,-Ngan Tani Yuk	20
, Sansages, - Ngan Tsai Chenny	2
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Barbel, -Ka Yu lb. 16.
Brown, Pla Yu.
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#### Unbearable Itching Salmon, -- Ma Xu... Spread Over Head Snapper,-Lap Yu Healed By Cuticura Tench - Wan Yu Turbok -- Tso Hau Yu .... 18 Turtles, small, fresh water,-

Capone, Small,-Sin Kai ... Capone, Large, Sin Kai ... ... Dores,-Pan Kan ... ... ... Eggs, Hen, -- Bai Tan (cooking) per dos. 18 Eggs. Hen, -Kai Tan (fresh) ... per doz. 25 Fows, Canton, -Kai ... ... lb. 36 Fowls, Bainan,-Hoi Nam Kai .. 28 

Hoibow, -Hoi Hau Fak Kap Turkeys, Cook, Fd Kai Kung lb. 60 Turkeys, Hon; Fo Kai Na ... 52 Snipe, -Sha Tani .... walland from each 22 Phonsant,-Shan Kai. Partridges,-Che Etali ... ...

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	Vegetables, &c.	
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i	Beet Root,-Hung Tsci Tau.	8
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Ginger, young, -Sun Tee Keung 7	
Ginger, old,-Lo Keung , 10	1
Horsersdish, Shanghai, Jok Kan 45	,
Indian Corn, -Shok Mai each Of	_
Lettuce, Yenng Shang Tsoi each 1	
Water Chestnuts,-Ma Tai, lb.	

Lam Ma Tai ... . 10 Mushrooms, Fresh, Shang Tac Ku lb. Okroes ... | ... | ... | lb. 10 Onions, Bombay,-Yeung Chung Tau lb. Onions, Green, Shang Chung Ib. 4 Onions, Shanghai, Sheeng-hoi. Parsley,-Kun Taci ... ... 60 Potato, Sweet,--- Fan Shu ... ... : Japanese, - Yat Pon She Teni lb. American, -Fa Kai Shu Tsai lb. Pumpkin,-TungKwa ... lb. 3

Radish,-Hung Lo Pak Tani Rhuberb (Fresh), Tai Woog ... .. Shallots, - Kong Chong Tan Spinsch, - Yiu Tsoi .... Tomatoes, - Pan Karasan ... Taros, Wu Tau ... Vient for ; ... ; Taxisfer Pon(ic(Ling), -Lo.Pak .... Vetable Mairowoo Talt Kwain Water Lr. m. Car Fenog Teoing 15 Lily root; - Lin Ngin Yams, Tei Shu ... .

## HONGKONG TIDES.

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February 28d. 12A. 14m.—No returns from Japan and Wladivostock. Pressure has decreased slightly at Weihaiwei and over the Philippines; it has increased slightly to moderately elsewhere. The anticyclone has gained intensity, and fresh te strong monsoon will prevail slong the China Coast, and over the N. China Sea.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inch. Total since January 1st, 0.02 inch, against an average of 3.11 inches.

Forecast for the \$4 hours ending at noon on the 1st March :-1.—Hongkong to Gap Rock : N.E. winds, fresh; cloudy with drizzling rain,

probably improving later. 2.—Formosa Channel: N. winds, 2.-Routh coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks: The same as No. 1. 4-South coast of China between

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ROYAL OBSERVATORY HONGKONG, DAILY WEATHER

REPORT.

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T. F. CLAXTON, Director. Hongkong Observatory, Feb. 28, 1918. 1. BAROMETER, reduced to 32 degrees. Fahrenheit, on the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths. 2. TEMPERATURE, in the shade, in de-

in London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an automatic tide-recording machine in the water Police Besing at Taim Sha Tau during the years 1979-9.

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To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 3 feet 4 inches and on the gauge at Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet directable.

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## SHARE REPORT.

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BANKA.		7. (c)	
Hongkang & Stel SUS	\$625 b. r. d. 629 m. r.d.	Final of £2-3/-& benus of fit at Ex. 3/- a/c 1917	8 pc.
MARINE INSUE	0\$310 b. "	\$7 fins! making \$25	A Section of the sect
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Douglas Steamshine &		Final of \$5 a/c 1916-191	The state of the s
Indo-Chinas — (Preferred) (Deferred)	E5 \$32} b. 3 E5 \$161 b.	Int. of 3/- a/c 1917 Int. of 6/- a/c 1917	
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Yangterenoos	T.404	\$1.25 a c 1917	
China-Borneos	5 \$3.90	60 cts. for 19:6	og
Green Islands	7, 871 b	\$2 for year end: 81-7-17 0 cents for 1916 \$2½ s/c 1916/17 Bon	13 p.s. 11 p.s.
Hongkong Ices	22 \$200 b. 16 \$29\frac{1}{4}	75 cents \$2 interim s/o 1917 \$1 interim s/e 1917 Final of 14 % s/o 191	10 p.c
P.K. Steel Foundry		\$1 a/c year 31-5-17	
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